During the day, the President had a telephone conversation with King Abdullah II of Jordan to discuss regional issues.

In the evening, on the State Floor, the President and Mrs. Bush hosted a holiday reception.

## Nominations Submitted to the Senate

NOTE: No nominations were submitted to the Senate during the period covered by this issue.

## Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

#### Released November 28

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Fact sheet: Securing America Through Immigration Reform

## Released November 29

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

## Released November 30

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Global AIDS Coordinator Mark Dybul on the President's plan for emergency AIDS relief

Statement by the Press Secretary: President Bush To Welcome German Chancellor Merkel

Fact sheet: Training Iraqi Security Forces

#### Released December 1

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Transcript of a press briefing by Council of Economic Advisers member Matthew I. Slaughter on the administration's economic forecast for the next year for construction of the budget

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 4145

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 126, H.R. 539, H.R. 606, H.R. 1972, H.R. 1973, H.R. 2062, H.R. 2183, and H.R. 3853

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Kentucky

Fact sheet: Commemorating World AIDS Day

#### Released December 2

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan and National Economic Council Director Allan B. Hubbard

# Acts Approved by the President

#### Approved November 30

H.R. 2528 / Public Law 109–114 Military Quality of Life and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Act, 2006

H.R. 3058 / Public Law 109–115 Transportation, Treasury, Housing and Urban Development, the Judiciary, the District of Columbia, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006

### Approved December 1

H.R. 4145 / Public Law 109-116

To direct the Joint Committee on the Library to obtain a statue of Rosa Parks and to place the statue in the United States Capitol in National Statuary Hall, and for other purposes